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R.S.	AA*		1	4	1	9	1	8	08/1873	Carpenter	5	106	
1	AB*		2	8	7	7	2	1	10/1883	Ranney	5	106	
	AC*		4	7	2	6	4	7	04/1892	Walker	5	95	
	AD*		4	8	4	9	7	5	10/1892	Perry	5	11X	
	AE*		5	4	8	0	0	5	10/1895	Miller, Jr.	5	11X	
	AF*		6	2	0	0	6	9	02/1899	Cobb	5	95	
	AG*		7	3	2	6	1	8	06/1903	Collier	5	11X	
	AH*		7	4	4	9	9	3	11/1903	Barta	5	105	
	AI*		9	6	2	7	6	7	06/1910	Lawyer	5	95	
	AJ*	1	1	3	8	4	5	1	05/1915	Bugele	5	95	
	AK*	1	2	0	0	8	3	0	10/1916	Goss	5	95	
	AL*	1	2	6	7	2	4	4	05/1918	McMillan	5	95	
	AM*	1	2	8	3	1	6	9	10/1918	Hasson	5	99.1	
	AN*	1	9	2	0	5	8	0	08/1933	McGlauthen	5	99.1	
	AO*	2	2	9	1	2	3	3	07/1942	Karlík	5	93.1	
	AP*	2	4	6	1	6	0	9	02/1949	Light	280	31	
	AQ*	2	5	7	4	5	5	9	11/1951	Graf et al.	5	11	
	AR*	2	6	3	2	1	8	6	03/1953	Berk et al.	5	99.1	
	AS*	2	6	9	1	1	7	6	10/1954	Saldana	5	93.1	
	AT*	2	7	1	6	4	3	9	09/1952	Feist	280	7.1	
	AU*	3	4	2	7	6	6	6	02/1969	Saxe	5	2.1	
	AV*	3	6	7	0	3	4	4	06/1972	Boudreau	5	11	
	AW*	3	8	9	6	5	1	3	07/1975	Boucher et al.	5	99.1	
	AX*	4	7	1	5	0	7	5	12/1987	Shamie	5	93.1	
R.S.	AY*	4	9	6	7	4	3	2	11/1990	Kujawski, et al.	5	98.1	
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	BA*	5	1	4	8	5	6	1	09/1992	Tharalson et al.	5	95	
	BB*	5	1	6	1	4	8	4	11/1992	Duane	5	95X	
	BC*	5	1	7	2	4	3	5	12/1992	Griffin et al.	5	95	
	BD*	5	2	9	3	6	5	5	03/1994	VanWinkle et al.	5	95	
	BE*	5	3	3	9	4	7	0	08/1994	Shamie	5	98.1	
	BF*	5	3	4	9	7	0	9	09/1994	Cheng	5	93.1	
	BG*	5	3	7	5	2	9	4	12/1994	Garrett	16	34	
	BH*	5	4	3	0	8	9	9	07/1995	Chisholm	5	95	
	BI*	5	5	5	3	3	3	6	09/1996	Mariol	5	93.1	
	BJ*	5	5	8	1	8	2	7	12/1996	Fong et al.	5	98.1	
	BK*	5	6	0	4	9	4	1	02/1997	Roman	5	95	
	BL*	5	6	3	6	8	5	3	06/1997	Huang	280	30	
	BM*	5	7	7	8	4	6	5	07/1998	Meyers	5	99.1	
	BN*	5	8	2	2	8	1	7	10/1998	Carew et al.	5	732	
	BO*	5	8	4	5	3	4	9	12/1998	Tharalson et al.	5	99.1	
	BP*	5	8	6	7	8	5	0	02/1999	Mariol	5	93.2	
	BQ*	5	9	6	3	9	9	8	10/1999	Carew et al.	5	655	
	BR*	6	0	7	9	0	6	3	06/2000	Cheng	5	98.1	
	BS*	6	1	1	2	3	4	7	09/2000	Tharalson et al.	5	95	
	BT*	6	1	4	8	4	5	6	11/2000	Tharalson et al.	5	99.1	
R.S.	BU*	6	1	2	3	0	1	9	09/2000	Flynn et al.	135	96	
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	BW*	6	2	0	2	2	2	8	03/2001	Cox	5	95	
	BX*	6	3	4	1	3	9	4	01/2002	Wang	5	105	
	BY*	6	4	7	0	5	1	5	10/2002	Hsia	5	99.1	
	BZ*	6	5	5	0	0	8	2	04/2003	Tharalson et al.	5	95	
	CA*	6	5	7	8	2	1	1	06/2003	Tharalson et al.	5	93.2	
	CB*	6	5	2	6	6	0	8	03/2003	Hsia	5	99.1	
	CC*	6	5	3	9	5	6	3	04/2003	Hsia	5	93.2	
	CD*	6	5	8	8	0	3	3	07/2003	Welsh, Jr., et al.	5	99.1	
	CE*	20	02	0	0	78	49	8	06/2002	Cheng	5	93.1	
	CF*	20	02	0	0	92	09	4	07/2002	Welsh, Jr.	5	95	
	CG*	20	02	00	83	5	2	4	07/2002	Tharalson et al.	5	95	
	CH*	20	02	01	52	5	5	0	10/2002	Tharalson et al.	5	95	
	CI*	20	02	0	1	66	16	9	11/2002	Longenecker, et al.	5	93.1	
R.S.	CJ*	20	03	01	26	6	8	1	07/2003	Tharalson et al.	5	93.2	

  

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R.S.	CK*				5	3	3	4	02/1911	Great Britain	5	95		
R.S.	CL*	1	5	7	8	7	1	6	11/1980	Great Britain	5	99.1		

  

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